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SEC. 6. All such wagons or vehicles shall be so loaded that no rubbish or waste material of any kind shall fall into or on any public street, lane, court, or alley.

SEC. 7. All wagons and other vehicles used in carrying on the business of a scavenger shall use unfrequented streets and alleys, as far as possible, in the conduct of the business.

CINCINNATI, OHIO.

Health Department—Duties of Officers.

HEALTH OFFICER—DUTIES OF (REGULATION BOARD OF HEALTH ADOPTED APR.
3, 1912).

The health officer is the chief of the department. Subject to the general control of the board of health, he has direction and supervision over all the employees of the department. In addition to the powers and duties prescribed by law, he is to carry out the orders of the board in any matter pertaining to his department. He shall at once report to the board any violation of the orders or breach of discipline on the part of any officer or any employee under his control, and may suspend any such person pending the board's decision. The health officer is authorized, by resolution of the board, to grant, refuse, or revoke any permit required by any law, ordinance, or regulation in any matter pertaining to the department.

CLERK OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH—DUTIES OF (REGULATION BOARD OF HEALTH
ADOPTED APR. 3, 1912).

The clerk shall be responsible for and have charge of all the books and records of the office, shall keep the minutes of the board, and shall keep the records of medical-school inspection; also do such writings and copying of writings and other services relating to the position as the board or health officer may require of him.

CLERK OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH TO GIVE BOND (REGULATION BOARD OF
HEALTH ADOPTED APR. 24, 1912).

1. The clerk of the department shall, before entering on the duties of his office, file with the health officer a bond, with at least two sureties, in the sum of not less than \$2,000, conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties, and such bond shall be approved by the city solicitor as to form, and by the board as to sufficiency.

2. Such bond shall remain in the custody of the health officer and be subject to inspection by anyone having any cause of complaint against such employee.

3. When such bond has been filed as aforesaid, the board shall issue a certificate of appointment, signed by the president of the board and countersigned by the health officer, and such certificate shall be to all intents and purposes the commission of such clerk.

DISTRICT PHYSICIANS—DUTIES OF (REGULATIONS BOARD OF HEALTH ADOPTED NOV.
20, 1912).

1. The district physicians appointed by the board shall devote their entire time to the work of the department. They shall reside in the district to which they are appointed, and they shall enforce all such rules and regulations as may from time to time be promulgated by the board in the interest of public health.

2. It shall be the duty of the district physician to visit and prescribe for all sick persons who are unable to pay for medical advice. The district physician shall investigate each case, so that the abuse of this charity may be minimized. If the district physician is satisfied that the case is one not entitled to free attendance, he shall promptly refer the same to the family physician. If the district physician has cause or reason to suspect inferiority in the quality of pharmaceuticals furnished by

the board of health, he shall report at once and complain to the health officer in order that the matter may be investigated.

3. The district physician shall vaccinate any resident of his district who may apply for that purpose, providing such resident is unable to pay for such service.

4. It shall be the duty of the district physician to maintain a proper surveillance over all infectious and contagious diseases in his territory, as prescribed by the general code of the State of Ohio, city ordinances, and board of health regulations.

5. The district physician shall also be known as the school physician for the schools in his district. During the school term the school physician shall make routine classroom inspection of each child in the schools, embracing examination of the eye, ear, nose, throat, and skin. Medical inspectors shall make as many physical examinations as possible, beginning with children entering school for the first time and proceeding to the higher grades in order. Physical examinations must be made in the presence of the parent, teacher, or nurse.

6. All reports of work performed must be mailed to reach this office no later than Monday morning of each week, according to the printed forms, which must be conformed to in all respects.

7. The district physician, acting always as health officer of his own district, should note carefully the sanitary condition of each patient's residence and its surroundings; the supply of fresh water, fresh air, the drainage, the cesspools or vaults; the size and arrangement of the stairs and the means of escape in case of fire should be especially noted; and if anything is found prejudicial to health, in violation of any of the laws or rules of this board, city or State, he is earnestly requested to report the same for the welfare of the public to the health officer.

DISTRICT PHYSICIANS TO DISPLAY SIGNS (REGULATION BOARD OF HEALTH ADOPTED
JULY 24, 1912).

All district physicians in the employ of this board are required to display the sign of "District physician" immediately under or next to their own private sign on the outside of their office building.

REGISTRAR OF VITAL STATISTICS—DUTIES OF (REGULATION BOARD OF HEALTH
ADOPTED APR. 3, 1912).

The registrar of vital statistics shall attend to the receiving of all returns of deaths and the issuing of burial permits, and shall make and keep in proper form a record of all deaths and births and perform such other services relating to the position as the board or health officer may require of him. The registrar of vital statistics is authorized to charge a fee of 50 cents for each certified copy of the record of birth or death, to the person applying for the same, and shall account to the health officer the first of each month the amount received as such fees, which amount shall be converted into the incidental account of the sanitary fund, it to be disbursed in the same manner as other moneys credited to said fund. The registrar shall keep a continuous and permanent record of all such certificates, together with the fees received for the same.

CHIEF MEDICAL INSPECTOR—DUTIES OF (REGULATION BOARD OF HEALTH ADOPTED
APR. 17, 1912).

At any time during the temporary absence of the health officer from the department of health, the chief medical inspector will assume that officer's duties, and any orders issued by the chief medical inspector shall be obeyed and respected by all the employees the same as if given by the health officer in person; the chief medical inspector shall, upon the return of the health officer, report all business attended to or instructions given during his absence. The chief medical inspector shall have charge of all infectious and contagious diseases and of all fumigations; he shall supervise the medi-

cal relief of outdoor poor patients and have charge of all medical supplies furnished to district physicians and nurses. He shall have charge of medical school inspection and supervise the work of the visiting school nurses and do such other work as may be required of him. The chief medical inspector shall be the assistant health officer.

CHIEF FOOD INSPECTOR—DUTIES OF (REGULATION BOARD OF HEALTH ADOPTED APR. 3, 1962).

It shall be the duty of the chief food inspector and his assistants to carry out and enforce the laws, rules, and regulations governing the sale of milk, meat, and other foods in the city, and to perform such other duties relating to the position as the board or health officer may require.

CHIEF AND ASSISTANT CHIEF SANITARY INSPECTORS—DUTIES OF (REGULATIONS BOARD OF HEALTH ADOPTED APR. 3, 1912).

The chief sanitary inspector shall have charge of the sanitary police, subject to the orders of the health officer, and he shall see that all laws, ordinances, and regulations pertaining to his division are strictly enforced. He shall report at once to the health officer any disobedience of orders, or breach of discipline on the part of any of the employees of his division.

The assistant chief sanitary inspector shall be the assistant to the chief sanitary inspector. It shall be his especial duty to make inspections of work assigned him by the health officer and chief sanitary inspector.

SANITARY POLICE—DUTIES OF (REGULATION BOARD OF HEALTH ADOPTED APRIL 17, 1912.)

1. Each member shall devote his whole time and attention to the business of the department, and is prohibited from following any other calling or being employed in any other business. Certain hours are allotted for regular duty, yet all are expected to act promptly at all times, by day or night, when so ordered by the chief sanitary inspector or health officer.

2. Each member in his conduct and deportment, must be quiet, civil, and orderly. He must at all times refrain from violent, coarse, profane, or insolent language; but at the same time he must act with firmness and energy in the performance of his duty.

3. Any member who shall be guilty of intoxication while on duty shall be subject to suspension or dismissal from the department.

4. No member will be permitted to apply for a warrant in the police court without the consent of the health officer or chief sanitary inspector.

5. The sanitary police are subject to the orders of the health officer and chief sanitary inspector at all times, and are also required to obey instructions issued from the department of health with promptness and dispatch.

6. The sanitary police shall present themselves at the health office at such times as shall be mentioned in orders, or as often as is required, to receive orders from the chief sanitary inspector and his assistant and make reports. Nor are they to consider their duties as limited to the districts to which they may have been assigned, but they are bound to leave their own districts and examine into complaints and sickness elsewhere. Whenever the health officer or chief sanitary inspector may deem it advisable thus to employ them, they may be changed about from district to district on the order of the health officer.

7. When orders shall be or have been made to remedy any complaint—as in the case of an overflowing or leaking privy, or water in the cellar of a house, or a collection of garbage or manure, or of cellars foul with decaying or unhealthy matter—the sanitary policeman shall see that said order is complied with and the nuisance abated. In case of noncompliance with orders he shall keep reinspecting and report the same to the chief sanitary inspector, and await further instructions.

8. All forms for making nuisance reports must be filled in legibly and minutely, and any information added that will throw light on the subject under investigation.

9. The sanitary police shall wear, plainly exposed to view, their badge of office, and at no time shall they attempt to enter any house, building, or other premises of any citizen without their badge exposed, unless otherwise directed by the health officer or chief sanitary inspector.

10. The chief sanitary inspector is habitually charged with the execution of all orders emanating from the board, or health officer, that properly belongs to the sanitary bureau, and he is responsible to the board and health officer only for the correct performance of his duties; and in order that the business of the sanitary department may be conducted with system and dispatch the men composing the sanitary police are placed entirely under the officer's command, subject only to the orders of the board and the health officer.

11. It is imperative that the men while on duty shall not lounge about saloons or places of public resort; neither will they be permitted to enter any places of public resort while on duty, except in the immediate discharge of the same.

12. All the sanitary police shall wear a uniform which shall consist of a sack coat, color indigo-blue—four buttons, black or gilt, Cincinnati police pattern, on the breast, and two gilt or black buttons, small pattern, on each cuff, vest of the same material, single-breasted, with five or six black buttons placed at equal distances; pantaloons the same color as coat. Officers must wear caps or hats approved by the health officer. Uniforms may not be required for inspectors on special work, as the health officer may determine.

13. No officer or member of the department will be permitted to give any information to vault cleaners as to the ownership or locality of vaults that require cleaning; neither will they, under any circumstances, recommend a vault cleaner to citizens, but will, when asked for information, refer the parties to the published list of vault cleaners displayed in the back of the city directory or telephone book, and any vault cleaner who shall offer to bribe any sanitary or other officer to give him information in violation of this rule shall be refused any further permits to clean vaults.

14. For any infringement or deviation from any of the above rules, not otherwise provided for, the penalty will be a suspension or dismissal from the department, as the board may, in its judgment, determine. The chief sanitary inspector is charged with the enforcement of the rules herein contained and will promptly report any officer who violates these provisions to the health officer.

LOS ANGELES, CAL.

Shoddy—Manufacture, Storage, and Sale. (Ordinance 24981, adopted April 30, 1912.)

SECTION 1. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to engage in, carry on, or conduct the business of manufacturing, selling, or storing shoddy without first applying for and receiving a permit in writing so to do from the health commissioner in the manner provided by this ordinance.

Nothing herein contained shall be construed to require any person, firm, or corporation to obtain a permit under the provisions of this ordinance, if such person, firm, or corporation has, prior to the adoption of this ordinance, obtained a permit under the provisions of Ordinance No. 19416 (new series) and such permit has not been revoked or suspended and a new permit is not specifically required to be obtained under the provisions of this ordinance.

SEC. 2. Any person, firm, or corporation desiring to obtain a permit to conduct or carry on any such business shall file an application in writing therefor with the health department, specifying by street and number the place where such business is proposed to be carried on or conducted. Such application shall be signed by the applicant and shall contain the address of such applicant.